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VETERANS DYING OFF.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 4.—Corporal James Tanner, commander in chief of the G. A. R. and wife, are en route from the territorial encampment at Las Cruces to Los Angeles where Commander Tanner will address an encampment May 7.

Corporal Tanner made the statement that according to statistics compiled by him, the old veterans were dying at the rate of 5000 a month.

It is Dangerous to Neglect a Cold.

How often do we hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia, and has gained its great popularity and extensive sale by its prompt cures of this most common ailment. It always cures and is pleasant to take. For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.



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NEW ADVERTISING DODGE.

Real Signature of Persons in the Circulars—Letters and Papers Bought.

LONDON, May 6.—A new advertising dodge has just been adopted here. People in various parts of the country have been puzzled by the receipt of an advertising letter, bearing pinned on the top corner a slip of paper with the signature of the recipient.

Many persons have been deceived by the implication that the firms which send the advertisement have been in communication with them previously, and that the appended signature is a token of either previous business or of special private knowledge of the recipient. The firms which send out the circulars with the signatures attached reckon on this impression, and often do good business as the result. Some of the methods by which some of the advertising firms in question obtain the signatures and addresses of strangers in the handwriting of the latter are indeed extraordinary.

Many business houses in large towns are quite aware of the demand for these names and addresses. They take advantage of the fact by selling at so much a hundred the old letters of customers or inquirers, which in the ordinary way would be sold as waste paper. The enterprising advertising firm which buys them cuts off the signature and appends it to a circular letter, which he sends to the person in question.

The quest for these old letters has now entered upon another phase. Firms in London are employing men and women to search refuse boxes and refuse heaps for discarded papers and letters.

Herbine

Will overcome indigestion and dyspepsia; regulate the bowels and cure liver and kidney complaints. It is the best blood enricher and invigorator in the world. It is purely vegetable, perfect harmless, and should you be a sufferer from disease, you will use it if you are wise.

R. N. Andrews, editor and manager Cocoa and Rockledge News, Cocoa, Fla., writes: "I have used your Herbine in my family, and find it a most excellent medicine. Its effects upon myself have been a marked benefit. Sold by Frank Hart's drug store."

LONDON HAS A KENNEL SHOW.

Women Show Some Fine Animals at Exhibition.

LONDON, May 6.—Three hundred and thirty dogs were benched in the Royal Horticulture hall during the annual show of the Ladies' Kennel association. Among the notable animals present were several of Mrs. Edgar Water Low's bulldogs, and Nuthurst Thistle was declared winner of no fewer than four prizes—two of them firsts. Mrs. Claude Paine's Apsley Phosra, a splendid bulldog bitch, also won two first prizes. Mrs. Ashton Cross carried off all the prizes for bloodhounds, and Mrs. Phillips Huth was awarded two first prizes for her beautiful Borzoi, Wulfruna Veerost.

Exposure

To cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of the temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the best cure. Mrs. A. Barr, Houston, Tex., writes, Jan. 31, 1902: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take. Sold by Hart's drug store."

TELLS OF TRAVELS

Woman Explorer Passes Through Dangers in Africa.

TRIP FROM THE CAPE TO CAIRO

Friends Tried to Dissuade Her From Making the Trip, But She Came Through it Without Any Harm.

LONDON, May 6.—Miss Mary Hall, who has just returned from a trip through the heart of Africa, has just been interviewed. She says:

"Most people would consider me mad to venture on such an expedition with no other company than that of a few natives. I have always been of a roving, adventurous disposition, and had already traveled in India, Burma, the far east, Honolulu, Australia and the solitudes of Alaska. What possessed me to attempt the journey from the cape to Cairo I hardly know. I had already spent twelve months in South Africa, and had penetrated as far up country as the Victoria falls.

"A strange desire to explore the great unknown regions between the Zambesi and the Nile had been growing on me.

"I met people who had traveled into Central Africa, and told them of my idea. They tried to dissuade me. Without claiming to be very brave, I believe I am pretty obstinate. Their insistence on the dangers of this journey simply confirmed my resolve.

"From Capetown to Chinde I traveled by sea for I had already gone considerable beyond this parallel inland in my earlier wanderings. At Chinde, which is a Portuguese settlement at the mouth of the Zambesi, I took passage in a quaint little river steamer below the African Lakes corporation. This was in June of last year.

"My equipment consisted of a tent and a hammock, together with the minimum degree of baggage, which included a camera and writing materials, as I intended to keep a lasting record of the sights I expected to see.

"As far as Kitula, my journey was a tolerably comfortable and easy one, thanks in large measure to the kindness of the African Lakes corporation. Beyond this, however, it became less pleasant.

"The heat was intense, and the marvel to me now is how I escaped the fevers of the miasma-laden regions through which we passed. Yet I never had an hour's sickness.

"One might have expected to be beset by all kinds of ferocious beasts. Truth compels me to admit that I never saw one of those monsters of the forest.

"The natives were mainly of a mild and tractable disposition, although very ugly when roused. We had to traffic with them with strings of beads and salt for fruit and game.

SWEDEN IS FOR ARBITRATION.

Would Keep an Official to Settle the Labor Troubles.

STOCKHOLM, May 6.—The Swedish government has just laid before the riksdag a bill referring to labor strikes. In concurrence with the conclusions of a committee on the subject it is now proposed that the state should appoint and pay for an official arbitrator for each of a certain number of districts, into which the entire country should be divided. His business would be principally to mediate between the parties whenever a strike threatens or has commenced, by bringing the employers and the men together, investigate each case diligently and without prejudice, and to the adoption of sliding scales or other lines of mutual understanding, instead of submitting it to official arbitration or to the law courts. By electing suitable persons who enjoy the confidence of workmen as well as employers a good result is expected if this proposal is accepted by the riksdag.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Tex., writes, April 15, 1902. "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

We care not how you suffered, nor what failed to cure you. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the puniest, weakest specimen of man or womanhood strong and healthy, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by Frank Hart.

DEFENDS ORIENTAL WEDDINGS.

Women Regard it in Light of a Sacred Duty.

LONDON, May 6.—There is a remarkable article in the current Monthly Review, by Mrs. Flora Annie Steel. In effect it is a plea for a revision of our ideas about marriage.

It is common here in England to think of oriental marriage with pity and even with disgust. To accept a husband never seen before the day of betrothal; to live in seclusion; to share him, perhaps, with other wives—this seems to English women an unbearable fate. Yet Mrs. Steel tells us that Indian wives are as a rule happy, and if Indian missionaries were to come here to convert us as English ladies go to India, "they would find quite as much, say in London, at which to hold up holy hands of horror as we do, say, in Calcutta and Bombay."

To an Indian wife (and to the Indian husband also) marriage is a duty, a duty to her race. "The real tie between husband and wife lies in their fatherhood, their motherhood. Says Mrs. Steel: "A western bride goes to marriages as she would to a theater, expecting to be happy, interested, amused. The eastern bride goes as a nun to a cloister, voluntarily, self-dedicated to duty."

TALKING OF A CANCER CURE.

Physicians Think There is Some Hope for Victims.

LONDON, May 6.—Another important statement concerning the treatment of cancer is contained in this week's "Lancet," in a synopsis of a paper communicated to the Royal Academy by Dr. C. Jacobs and Dr. Victor Geets.

These doctors state, as a result of their researches, that "it is practicable to immunize the human organism by means of a series of inoculations of the micrococcus neformans vaccine provided these are properly controlled by examinations of the opsonic power of the blood."

Statistics are given of forty-six cancer cases treated in this manner, with the following results:

"Cure" maintained after several months, 7; lasting improvement, 12; transient result, 7; no result, 11; now under treatment, 7.

ELECTION IS POSTPONED.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 6.—Governor Higgins yesterday signed the bill of Senator Armstrong which postpones from November 15 to December 18 next the election of boards of directors of Mutual life insurance companies of this State. The bill also postpones from June to July the date of filing lists of policyholders. This law was necessitated by the fact that it was impossible for the companies to prepare the lists of policyholders by the date originally set.

RAISED WARRANT.

NEW YORK, May 5.—H. L. Whaley, a salesman, was arrested last night, charged with having presented at a bank for deposit a city warrant which it is alleged had been raised from \$3 to \$359,000. The alterations were crudely done.

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